
Farm Home Architecture


First Prize Awarded in Planning Contest Conducted by the University of Wisconsin College of Agriculture

Farmhouses designed with due consideration to the woman who must spend most of her time and energy in the fine art of house making are becoming more and more the rule.

In order to stimulate greater interest in this line, the University of Wisconsin College of Agriculture recently held a farmhouse planning contest open not only to people who were living on their farms, but the Northern

the **Woodward Manufacturers' Association** not only offered prizes for the best fire plans, but promised to back the College of Agriculture in its move to erect a convenient and comfortable practice farm home on the University grounds. The best idea from all of the better plans in the contest will likely be drawn upon for suggestions in drafting the specification for the proposed building.

Business and home needs are combined in the plan shown. The perspective of the plan shows it to be of a neat and attractive cottage type, with an extra wide cornice as an additional feature of distinction. The



Neat and Attractive Cottage Type.

better element is, of course, a matter of exterior design and can be modified. The floor plan works for "family first." On entering the front door, one can either pass into the living room for a chat with the mistress of the house or step aside to the office just off the entrance to the left, where father is busy with his accounts and sales records—but not too busy to stop and smoke a pipe with a guest.

From father's den a door to the left leads directly to both the outside porch and cellar. Note that father will get, as he should, light on his den from over his left-hand shoulder.

The main staircase leaves the entrance hall just opposite the living room door—which, if desired, may be a "closed opening." The living room, lighted by five windows and made cheery by a fireplace, is 15 by 15 feet in dimensions, affords plenty of room for the family and company. Just off the living room, relieved from stiffness by a "jog" which admits of a window opening to the rear, is the dining room. This room and the kitchen have many features of merit and are worth studying when planning a new farm house. The cup-

The second floor plan includes a Kitchen (12'6" x 13'4") with a stove, sink, and wooden floor. It is adjacent to a Dining Room (16'7" x 13'4") and a Living Room. A Wash Room (6'4" x 8'6") is located near the Kitchen. There are several closets, including a 'WOOD FLOOR UNDER' closet and a 'CLOSET' near the Dining Room. A 'DRESS' closet is also shown near the Living Room.

Floor Plan Works for "Sanity First."

board in the wall between the two rooms is there, and the arrangement of it above, work table, sink, and other equipment tends to carry out the general scheme of convenience. Note the washroom and men's toilet on the rear porch, to save tramping and splashing indoors.

The expense of building this house depends wholly upon labor and materials, of course, and it would not be safe to estimate from the design.

Crisp and clean-cut lessons on what the farmer's family most needs make a more ideal form of house design have been gleaned by glancing over a number of the suggestions sent to the Wisconsin home planning contest committee.

all farm-home comforts, followed by tubular steel, set-back, compass, electric lighting. Nearly all would have dining room and living rooms separate. The majority also seemed to want built-in china closets and bookcases, and in some cases cupboards as part of the equipment. Only a few the women seemed to desire a small kitchen—that is, one less than 12 by feet. Only three suggested 9 by 14 feet or less.

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